

## South Carolina Higher Education Hall of Fame

## **Selection Criteria**

The purpose of the South Carolina Higher Education Hall of Fame is to recognize and honor individuals for outstanding achievement on behalf of higher education in South Carolina. The Hall of Fame is sponsored by the Harry M. Lightsey Jr. Society. By recognizing these individuals, the Lightsey Society hopes to inspire others to excel in their efforts to advance higher education in South Carolina.

The collaborative effort involved in nominating and selecting inductees should help strengthen and build ties between the various institutions of higher education in South Carolina and broaden the base of support for higher education in the state.

To be eligible for induction into the Hall of Fame, individuals must have performed outstanding meritorious service to higher education in South Carolina above and beyond financial contributions. In particular, candidates (who may be either living or deceased) will be considered for induction based on the five qualities listed below:

- **1.** Achievement. Has brought about significant events or substantive improvements in higher education in South Carolina or contributed to the enhancement of higher education in the state through exemplary services or acts.
- **2.** <u>Ethics.</u> Has demonstrated the highest level of professional integrity and responsibility in all endeavors.
- **3.** <u>Leadership</u>. Has had a substantial influence on promoting and improving higher education in South Carolina.
- **4.** <u>Passion</u>. Has dedicated a major portion of his or her professional career to serving higher education in South Carolina.
- **5. Reputation.** Has gained a high level of respect within the higher education community for his or her contributions to higher education in South Carolina.

To submit a nomination, please complete the form on the back and return all materials by June 30, 2007 to:

Lightsey Society
SC Higher Education HOF Nominations
1333 Main Street, Suite 200
Columbia, SC 29201
Ph: 803-737-4544 Fax: 803-737-2297

## **NOMINATION FORM**

1. Nominee information
Nominee's Name:
Living Deceased
Date of Birth: Date of Death:
Place of Employment and Current Position:
Home Address:
Home Phone: Office Phone:
Email Address:
Nominee's Primary Area of Contribution:
☐ Teaching ☐ Research ☐ Service ☐ Administration ☐ Other
2. Provide a synopsis of the nominee's contributions to higher education in
South Carolina (no more than two pages). You may use the suggestions
below as a guideline.
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1. How does the nominee exhibit the five attributes listed on the opposite page?
2. What are the nominee's most notable achievements in higher education?
3. What has the nominee done to enhance the visibility and stature of higher education i South Carolina?
4. How has the nominee contributed to other fields of endeavor, if any?
5. What is the nominee's single greatest contribution to higher education in South Carolina, and in what way does it have state and/or national significance?
6. The nomination should include a brief biography.
7. A résumé may be attached as supporting information (optional).
3. Nominator Information  Each nomination must include the following information about the nominator, which will not appear anywhere else, nor will it be released to members of the selection committee.
Name:
Address:
Home Phone: Office Phone:
Email Address: